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In re Application of

DECISION ON

RENEWED PETITION

SKRYABIN et al

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For: MULTILAYERED PHOTOVOLTAIC...

ENVELOPE SURFACE : UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

This decision is in response to applicants' "RESPONSE TO RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)" submitted on 14 July 2009.

BACKGROUND

A decision by this Office dated 12 May 2009 indicated that requirement (4) had not been satisfied.

On 14 July 2009, petitioner filed this renewed petition accompanied, inter alia, a properly executed declaration by joint inventor Igor Lvovich SKRYABIN.

DISCUSSION

The renewed petition has included an executed declaration by joint inventor Igor Lvovich SKRYABIN, and on 08 May 2008 an executed declaration signed by joint inventor George PHANI was submitted. The declaration is now signed by all the inventors: Igor Lvovich SKRYABIN, George PHANI, Sylvia Medlyn TULLOCH, Graeme Leslie EVANS and Ben JAUSNIK.

Accordingly, the declaration submitted on 14 July 2009 complies with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b).

CONCLUSION

The petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) is **MOOT**.

This application is being returned to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) for continued processing consistent with this decision. The 35 USC 371(c)(1), (c)(2), and (c)(4) date of this application is 14 July 2009.

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